

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT KNOXVILLE

MICHAEL A. SINGLETON,

Petitioner,

v.

No.: 3:12-cv-75  
(VARLAN/SHIRLEY)

THE P.T.S. EXTRADITION CO.,  
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
and THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

Respondents.

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This is a petition for the writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241. The petitioner has not paid the required \$5.00 filing fee nor has he submitted an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to send petitioner an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. The Clerk is further **DIRECTED** to hold the petition for thirty (30) days pending receipt of the \$5.00 filing fee or an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Petitioner is advised that failure to pay the filing fee, or submit a completed application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, within the time allowed will result in the automatic dismissal of this action without further notice by the Clerk of Court.

**ENTER :**

s/ Thomas A. Varlan  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE